

## REMARKS

This amendment accompanies a Response to Requirement for Restriction.

This amendment is made prior to examination.

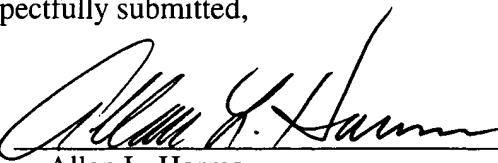
A check in payment of the additional filing fees for two dependent claims is enclosed.

Favorable action is respectfully requested.

Any questions or discussion about this response should be addressed to Allan L. Harms at  
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Respectfully submitted,

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